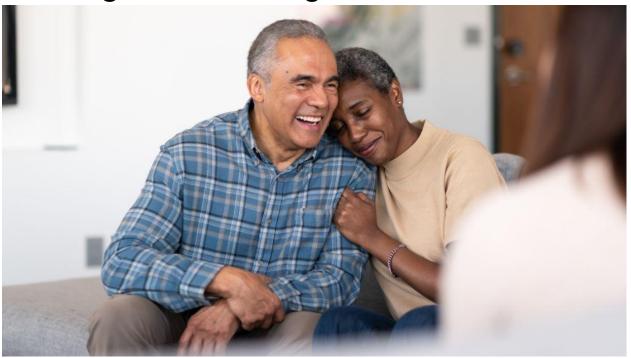
10 Common Reasons for Couples Need Marriage Counseling



One of the primary reasons couples seek professional support is to strengthen their mutual bond and intimacy. Despite the common perception that <u>couples therapy</u> intends to help those partners whose relationship is in crisis, there can be several other reasons why partners should seek counseling. Some reasons might be smaller than others, but all are significant and deserving of attention when it comes to a happy, flourishing marriage.

Here are ten compelling reasons why twosomes should consider couple's therapy.

Poor Communication

Relations can only function well with effective communication. Pairs who lack effective communication often complain that they keep fighting over the same things, and their disagreements never get resolved. They get hurt by both negative communication and disengagement. When such confrontations grow, they might feel hostility towards each other.

Under these circumstances, <u>nuptial therapists</u> can offer help to make deliberate decisions about their communication patterns.

Premarital Advice



It is crucial to consider a lot of things when you tie the knot. **Premarital** counseling helps future spouses discuss those sensitive matters which may cause a nuisance in their married life. For instance, consider the matters of money. Who will bear the expenses? What about opening a joint savings account? How about determining which goods to buy? Another aspect is domestic and household responsibilities. Are kids included in the picture? When it comes to your future, how do you see your in-laws fitting in? Remedial sessions provide a neutral environment to discuss cardinal issues.

Issues Centered Around Intimacy

Significant problems could arise from variations in the level of intimacy and

<u>expectations</u>. A wide variety of factors, including but not limited to medication, workload, life transitions, depression, or other mental health problems, could affect your level of intimacy. Relationship therapists help better halves reach a comfortable level of empathy and intimacy by identifying and addressing the underlying causes of their inability to express themselves.

Sexual Issues



Sex makes the couple feel closer and mends wounds. However, sexual drives could become an ordeal loaded with fear, rage, and pain, especially when one of the partners grows tedious with their sex routine. In such cases, counselors can assist the couples in setting a good sex routine and tackling other sexual concerns.

Cheating and Infidelity

Indubitably, cheating is the most painful and worst experience for a partner and may have a devastating effect on the marriage. However, it does not imply that they have to break up. Nuptial counseling offers a safe place to discuss such matters and take the first step toward their settlement. With the <u>support of therapists</u>, twosomes might learn constructive and meaningful strategies for navigating the perilous sea of infidelity.

Blended Families

Blending families is particularly challenging when one or both spouses already have children from a previous relationship in this regard, counselors could provide the much-needed support to handle parenting differences and decide their parenting roles.

Trust Issues



<u>Trust Issues</u> may cause grave damage to one's relationship. Faith in one another is a vital component of a healthy mutual bond. If a partner breaches the trust of another, it might be sad and upsetting since trust restoration is a time-taking process. In marriage counseling, the pair learns trust-rebuilding mechanisms while getting the required support to reduce their differences.

The Dissolution of a Relationship

Life may be difficult after the dissolution of marriage, whether it occurs by mutual consent or otherwise. Partners often have a natural urge to vent their frustration, anguish, and despair. In addition, there ought to be practical concerns to address, such as, children, and parenting. How and when to communicate is another topic that the partners can tackle in remedial sessions.

Digital-Age Challenges

Social media has its perks and downsides. The use of social media platforms, for instance, Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram, may affect the mutual bond. Frequently, spouses have differing opinions about who to befriend, what to like, and who to chat with or block. As interaction is not face-to-face, there is an apprehension that others might misinterpret your words despite using a range of emoji's. Therapy sessions help the duo resolve technology-

based conflicts and set certain limits to rebuild trust after social media platforms have damaged their married life.

Missing the Spark



After years of marriage, some couples no longer interact and live together merely as roommates. Sometimes, pairs even forget why they fell in love and what drew them together in the first place. In such a situation, therapeutic procedures could bring back the missing zeal and enthusiasm in their married life.

To varying degrees, every interpersonal connection presents challenges. Even in the greatest of times, there will be arguments, fights, and bruised feelings. It takes effort to maintain a strong and *pleasant connection*. Thus, each couple should consider seeking counseling since it nurtures positivity for the years to come.